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Dear Examiner Lewis:

This amendment is filed in response to the non-final office action mailed 07/27/05. Applicant acknowledges the withdrawal of claims 11-21 according to Applicant's election.

Applicant appreciates the allowable subject matter, namely, claims 7, 9 and 10 to which the Examiner simply entered an objection. Applicant addresses the double-patenting rejection of claims 1-6 and 8 based upon the situation that the reference and the application are not commonly owned.

Applicant requests an extension of time in which to respond under 37 CFR §1.136.

Amendment

I. In the Drawings.

1. None.

II. In the Specification.

1. None.